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SUBJECT: FALL-OUT SYMPOSIUM

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The Armed Forces Special Weapons Project is planning to hold a symposium on the subject of fall-out during January 10, 11, and 12, 1955. The purpose of this meeting will be to provide an opportunity for a free exchange of ideas in matters connected with the phenomenon of fall-out. It is anticipated that Drs. Felt and White of Los Alamos Scientific Laboratory will present a paper during the symposium as will various representatives of the military services. A copy of the proposed agenda is available in the Division of Military Application for your perusal.

We have been asked to submit a list of persons from the Atomic Energy Commission who will attend the symposium during the dates indicated above. It is therefore requested that you inform this Division as to those persons in the Division of Biology and Medicine or from the New York Operations Office whom you desire to attend. This information should be submitted to the DMA not later than December 23, 1954. AFSWP has informed us that should the list of those desiring to attend become unwieldy, it may be necessary to impose quotas. It is suggested, therefore, that your nominations be confined to persons with a genuine interest in the field of fall-out.

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